

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION IX 75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, CA 94105

February 1, 2016

Joe Frazier Manager Navajo Generating Station P.O. Box 850 Page, AZ 86040

Re: Proposed Minor NSR Permit for Navajo Generating Station Refined Coal System Project

Dear Mr. Frazier:

On February 20, 2015, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 9 Air Permits Office received your application for a Minor New Source Review Permit under the Tribal Minor New Source Review (NSR) Rule at 40 CFR 49.151-161 for the addition of a refined coal treatment system (Project). EPA has completed its review of your permit application to authorize the construction and operation of the Project at Navajo Generating Station. We have prepared a proposed permit for the Project.

Enclosed is our public notice, proposed permit, and technical support document for the Project. These and other documents related to the Project are also available on our website at: http://www.epa.gov/caa-permitting/tribal-nsr-permits-region-9 or at www.regulations.gov under Docket ID EPA-R09-OAR-2016-0026. It is Region 9's practice to include the requirements for the PSD and Tribal Minor NSR program in a single NSR permit document. As such, we are revising NGS's existing PSD permit, No. AZ 08-01A, to add the Tribal Minor NSR requirements of this action. Your Tribal Minor NSR permit number is T-0004-NN. The public comment period will close on March 7, 2016.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Larry Maurin at 415-972-3943 or maurin.lawrence@epa.gov.

Sincerely.

Gerardo C. Rios Chief, Permits Office

Enclosures (3)

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